

**Abstract**

A medical implant is disclosed, said implant having a flexible hollow body (1) which can be implanted inside the stomach (8) of  
5 a patient and which has a first tube-like end section (2) and a second tube-like end section (3), wherein the first tube-like end section (2) is dimensioned such that it can be fitted into the esophagus (7) of the patient, and the second tube-like end section (3) is dimensioned such that it can be connected to the  
10 small intestine loop (9) of the patent in a sealing manner.